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Just think of the things a Congressman has to puzzle his head about! He is a patriot, he must know what's what concerning the Venezuelan controversy, the claims that Cuba has on our nation, the virking of the gold reserve, whether the government in debt is worse or better off, and whether the country should be taxed at this time to raise a revenue or whether the expenditures should be cut down.

This is the first issue of the year 1896. When we expect the first candidate to make his appearance? Don't put off coming out too long, for it may get harder and harder for you to run as the year slips by. Don't all speak at once, but come out and offer to serve your country in whatever capacity you think you would shine brightest. Do not say that you do not want the office, for we know better. The real fact of the case is that you don't want to put yourself up as a target to be fired at. Come out and take your med.

When the Cuban insurgents left their mountain fastnesses and marched on Havana, passing successfully the fortified garrisons of Nipisa on the route, and outwitting General Campos in his efforts to intercept them, they showed an amount of courage and dispatch that should gain them the recognition of belligerents with every nation on the earth. There were 12,000 men in the army that thus penetrated a region held by 50,000 Spanish troops and the President should recognize their existence in order that they may benefit by the international laws of civilized warfare. It is hard to account for the fact that Cleveland has not done so already. It would be a very fine thing for Congress to do with the aid of the President. We certainly hope that the Cubans will make it too expensive for Spain to retain Cuba as one of her possessions.

The Leap Year Party.

The New Year was ushered by a leap year party at Mr. R. M. Yeager's. In that the girls took the lead and rewarded the kind attention of years on the part of the boys by earning for them for one evening party. Each girl chose the boy whom she concerted. They all met in the parlor of the Marlinton House and perambulated to the scene of the festivities. The following ladies and gentlemen composed the party:

Miss Molly Smith and Paris Yeager, Miss Edna Bird and W. W. Tyne, Miss Emma Horner and J. Patterson, Miss Emma McLaughlin and J. P. Murphy, Miss Belle Yeager and Lewis Yeager, Miss Mary McLaughlin and Walter Yeager, Miss Annie King and O. W. Smith, Miss Edna Patterson and W. B. King, Miss Emma King and Earl Arbogast, Miss Tracie Bird and Duke Smith, Miss Laura Brown and J. J. Marshall, Miss Daisy Yeager and E. B. Smith, Miss Hal to Patterson and Frank Anderson, Miss Ned Yeager and J. D. Polk, Miss Willie Welch and H. A. Wilson, Miss Emma Stevenson and W. B. Ricketts, and B. B. Scott, S. Howe, Beatty Butler, and John Yeager.

Special!

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Telephone corner corner, single, it takes two to get married.

McKinley and Reed are the two leading candidates for the Presidency, and it may well be said that the Republican nomination lies between them. It is a race between Napoleon and the Czar.

Forty-seven Republicans, together with the Democratic and Populist members, with the exception of Houston, of Texas, voted against the bond bill. The bill as passed amends the redemption act so as to permit the issue of three per cent. coin bonds, redeemable after five years at the pleasure of the government, and payable in fifteen years, with the specific provision that nothing in the bill shall be construed to repeal the act of 1878 for the redemption of the greenbacks, and that the bonds shall first be offered for subscription at the sub-treasurer's depositories of the United States. The second section of the bill provides for the issue of three-year three per cent. debt certificates of denominations of \$20 and multiples thereof, in amounts not exceeding \$50,000,000 to meet the temporary deficiency.

"A bill to temporarily increase revenue" is what the new tariff bill is called, which the lower house of Congress passed with all the dispatch and hard driving that so totally swamps the minority when Reed has things in hand. The minority are simply knocked out of time, and they certainly experience all the discomforts of being in the minority. The bill as passed raises the tariff on woolen clothing, wool on hair material, lumber, etc. The law shall remain in effect until August 1, 1896. The schedules referred to, and on which this act is based, is the McKinley Bill, and the Wilson Bill is repealed where it affects the present bill. The Republicans claim that this measure is in response to Cleveland's message to Congress requesting legislation on financial matters by which the gold reserve may be maintained. The Democrats of the House, with Cripp as leader, say that the message did not call for increased taxation, and that the passage of such a bill is not in response to the message of the President. They fully proved the government able to meet all expenditures, and showed that whatever deficiency there was, was entirely due to the McKinley Bill, which had now been superseded by the Wilson Bill, which would now raise sufficient revenue for the needs of the government. The bill was not referred to a Committee, and was passed by Republican votes, the Democratic and Populist members voting against it.

CLOVER LICK.

The people of this vicinity are generally well with the exception of Mrs. Annie Kramer, who we are glad to say is improving, under the care of Dr. Cunningham.

Christmas day passed off very quietly in this part. The children of Hoffman Spring Academy enjoyed a Christmas dinner given them by their good teacher, Miss Austin Ligon. There were two large turkeys and every thing else that goes to make up an excellent dinner.

There was a very hard storm of wind and rain Thursday evening which made it very unpleasant for the young people of Elk to collect for a dance at Spill Rock.

Rev. Howard Underwood has been spending a few days in this vicinity.

The Elk House is expected to commence a protracted meeting at Pomeroy's Lane, the first Sunday of January.

1896 is here and it is leap year. Long before make good use of it. It is the last one for eight years. Mr. George Fringley, of Randolph county, is here visiting relatives and friends. He reports that the storm was so great that it blew the roof off of Seymour Mead's house, on Valley Mountain. He also brings news of the shooting accident, which occurred in his neighborhood, near Valley Road. Two hunters named Arbogast were hunting in the mountains, one walking behind the other. The one in front named his gun and fired at a deer. And again to be a second time shot at his brother behind him shot. The bird took off in the air and fell on the ground. It is thought that his arm will have to be amputated.

MARLINTON WINS

By a Big Score, 10 Goals to None.

One of the most interesting games of football ever played at this place came off last Saturday evening in the snow, the contest being between Mingo and Marlinton.

Mingo brought a good team of football players into town Friday evening. They were in a four-horse wagon, and were all waving red flags, while at the fore-peak flaunted the "bloody shirt." They made a tremendous racket with bells and cheers, while Squire Grews sounded charges on his tin-horn. The Marlinton team was in no wise dismayed, and pronounced the visiting team their meat at once. Mingo had started with a pig as a mascot or "rooster," but it was destroyed by accident in the long journey here, which might have been taken as a bad omen. The team put up at the McLaughlin House, and attended the festival at the court-house that night.

Saturday, about noon, a heavy snow storm set in, and in a very short time the ground was white. The game was called at 1:25 p. m. while it was still snowing as hard as ever. The ball became covered with snow, and the footing was very uncertain. A player would start toward the ball and gracefully lie down in the snow.

From the first the game was with Marlinton. Our goal-keeper fell in a pleasant train of thought, and the reminiscences were not disturbed by the play coming near him except twice during the game. Ten goals were kicked by the forwards, Norman Price being the most fortunate player, kicking five of them.

In spite of the storm, several hundred people watched the game from start to finish. Most of the ladies obtained shelter and a fine view from the temporary court-house.

There was one accident, only that of Mr. H. Earnshaw colliding with Norman Price and G. Tompkins. The wind was wanting for a while, but he was able to remain play in about five minutes.

Mingo: E. Helden, Captain, (forward) H. Earnshaw, S. L. Grews (left wing) O. Miles, Elliot Barnes (right wing) G. Tompkins, Nick Shreeve, Eugene Galtwood (half-backs) D. Lindsay, Ligon Marshall (full-backs) Tom Vandervoort (goal).

Marlinton: J. H. G. Wilson, Captain, (forward) N. Price, Gus Johnson, (right wing), L. Yeager, Pat Simmons, (left wing), Jim Smith, Blake King, Frank Anderson, (half-backs), Walter Yeager, John Yeager, (full-backs), H. Bird, (goal).

Mr. W. B. Ricketts made a most efficient umpire, with Messrs. Price in Yeager and Andrew Price as line-men.

The Elk Game a Tie.

The football contingent had an experience on New Year's Day playing football in the teeth of a booming gale on the Old Field Park of Elk, with the thermometer ranging near zero. Notwithstanding the extreme cold, a crowd of spectators gathered, including a good many ladies. A big fire was built and the spectators huddled around it. The field was partly swept bare and the rest covered with snow, at some places as much as eighteen inches deep. A gale of wind was blowing across the field.

The players who played with bare arms and knees had to keep on the go to keep from freezing. The first goal was kicked by Marlinton; the second by Elk, and the score stood 1-1. Ray Arbogast had his arm dislocated, (which was promptly reset by Bob Gilmore), and had to retire from the field. Ed Patterson taking his place in the game. When Elk scored, the shouting could be heard at Marlinton, twelve miles away.

The Elk people treated the Marlinton team in their usual open-handed and hospitable manner. No one was disappointed by the game, except Gus. Walchew, who, understanding the fight was in the balance, had spoken for George Jackson's side. George came through all right, and Mr. Walchew was here to look elsewhere for his team!

Elk played: George Jackson, Charles Shoverter, John Gibson, Eugene Jackson, J. Heighl, the warden, Joe Gilmore, Jr., Sam Gibson, Talbot Sharp (half-backs), Randolph Kistner, Levi Gilmore, (half-back), Sam Wilson (goal).

The Marlinton team, from the warden, Joe Gilmore, Jr., Sam Gibson, Talbot Sharp (half-backs), Randolph Kistner, Levi Gilmore, (half-back), Sam Wilson (goal).

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BF McELWEE

who will conduct the business at the old stand, and will carry in stock at all times a complete line of General Merchandise. A new and elegant line of fall and winter goods is now in stock, which it will pay all persons, both far and near, to examine before investing their money elsewhere.

ALL PERSONS

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Taylor, Joe Patterson, W. A. Taylor,
M. M. Wallace

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FRANK WILSON'S first appearance in public since his vindication of a charge of felony was to address an association of West Virginians who have a yearly dinner in New York.

THE Cuban insurgents seem to be getting the upper hand and have Havana at their mercy. If the city is taken it is thought that it will end the war, and Cuba will gain her independence.

In Culpepper County, Virginia, Miss Marye Mason and Harold Dixon were happily married on New Year's Day. Their descendants will come of the "Mason and Dixon line" of the house.

THE Venezuelan Commission, as appointed by the President, are: David J. Brewer, Justice United States Supreme Court; Richard H. of Maryland, Chief Justice of Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia; Andrew D. White of New York; Frederick R. Gilman of New York; Daniel C. Gilman.

DR. TALMAGE's sermon on Allen, was with his of course, a sermon concerning the present morning. Rev. Allen has been preaching service, and Talmage the evening. Consequently every one tends in the evening. A universal demand went up for Talmage to preach twice a day, which he wants to do, and Allen refuse to yield.

THE Bookbarn-Banner gives Colonel John T. McGraw, whose political boss has been so active, the following notice. It evidently found fault with the fact that he is many times more active in the Legislature, the place where so many good men do not go.

"Now is the season in politics when John T. McGraw, of Granton, is being proposed by the Granton papers and correspondents for every office in sight; Governor, U. S. Senator, Congress, &c. Why don't the Democrats of Taylor County begin by nominating him for the Legislature?"

GOVERNOR O'FARRELL's original idea as to the best means of getting a stop to lynchings would be very effective. He proposes that a law shall be passed in Virginia by which the county in which a lynching occurs shall pay a certain amount, say \$200 for every one thousand of the population of the county, into the public treasury for the benefit of the School Fund. This would be a good way to apply the money, at least, on the principle enunciated by Victor Hugo, that "He who opens a school closes a prison," and would thus, indirectly as well as directly, prevent lynchings and the commission of crimes for which men are lynched. It seems very appropriate that Virginia, a citizen of whom gave the name to the practice, should be taking such active steps to prevent lynchings. There would be one effect that the law might have if passed which the writer has never seen advanced, and it does seem reasonable to suggest that a lynching party would increase in a neighboring county, and in avoiding their country in debt, would be liable to their intended victims off in an adjoining county, leaving the citizens of that county to pay the amount that the affair would cost. Then there would be blood and money and money and money on account of it between the counties.

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EXCITING RUNAWAY!
P. Golden's Store Comes Pretty Close to Being Wrecked.

The early morning workers who still to work between eight and nine o'clock were startled this morning by seeing a four-wheeled horse dash madly down the road and cross the bridge. When Golden's store was reached, then the animal, speeded, not by his long run, but by the low price which Golden is offering in shoes, for he calmly shed his hind shoes, and was in the act of divesting himself of his other two, preparatory to a trip into Golden's, when his driver came puffing upon the scene and led him over to Tyro's Shop.

WHEREVER I go by strand or sea, wherever the earth or waters be, one fierce deep tremor shattereth me.

I'm crowded!

Though rivers run and great pale fall, the ocean always is too small; I can't move round on it at all.

I'm crowded!

When o'er the paltry main I sail, the big encircling, vicer whale flouts at me with sarcastic tail.

I'm crowded!

Though, waded on some wild balloon, I board the sphere's celestial tune, I'd be run down by some full moon.

I'm crowded!

With streaming eye and waving chin, I wail the woe that I am in; mankind, make way for WYNDHAM QUINN.

Me's crowded!

—New York Advertiser.

GREEN BANK.

We are having bad weather, rain, rain and rain.

At the festival at this place last Sunday night was very largely attended, and to my fine, it was just as good as it could be. Everybody was very happy, and financially it was a very hard time.

They closed \$200,000, W. Va. is the guest of Rev. T. Maxwell, at this time.

Attorney S. B. Scott, Jr., the editor of the Herald, was in town yesterday and today.

Mr. K. O. Wade and bride, Academy, passed through our town last Sunday, enroute to visit Mr. Wade's brother, Mr. W. O. Nottingham. We extend congratulations to them.

There was a considerable storm of wind and rain at this place on last evening, blowing down fences and but no serious damage done.

Xmas was a very quiet day at this place, and a very nice day.

Mr. Morris Smith, of Mill Point is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity at this writing.

Capt. J. C. Lakin, of Dumore, and Capt. — Steinhilber, of Bonaventure, were in our town last Monday.

J. H. Curry is still grappling with the grip, but says he don't like it, but it seems to like him.

X. Y. Z.

DUNMORE.

A little cold, with snow on the ground.

James H. Hind, Pete and Sullivan McLaughlin left last week, for Gander Creek to work in the woods.

Rev. How and Miss Kittie Lakin are off for Bonaventure.

Miss Lena Sherry, of Elk, spent Christmas at Dunmore.

Kenny Wade and wife passed through town Sunday.

Advice to Girls.

Following the example of the Editor of a weekly newspaper in West Virginia, we call attention of the girls to the fact that it is Leap Year, and that for the next eight years another opportunity of getting the man of your choice will not be presented to you. We feel that we are doing a very handsome thing when we call attention, in a polite manner, to the many fine catches in and about Marlinton. It may be taken for granted that they will not remain in *status quo* for another eight years. It will be "rule" kindness to the poor fellows who have been blooming alone so far. Here is a fine list:

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An handsome editor, neatly all brow and ears, who is under a temporary cloud in the circle of Marlinton's exclusive set of very young people, and who needs consolation.

A lively stable keeper, highly educated, elegant manners, and good linguist.

A popular young lawyer, rich, in good practice.

Al school-teacher, temporarily absent from Marlinton. Over six feet—of a peculiar style of beauty.

A splendid Deputy-Sheriff, genial disposition. Eight years more will make him too old. His friends think he needs a wife.

A young blacksmith, could support wife very nicely; fine musician, and all-around good catch.

An Irish salesman, best disposition of the lot. Leap year opportunities his only chance, and some think that he is already bespoken.

Young smooth-faced merchant, very attractive; some think that he is not all together foot-loose. A good boy.

Young carpenter, tends strictly to business, rides a fast-paced, black horse.

Young gentleman, fine figure and good prospects, a little sensitive and susceptible, is completing his education at a Virginia college.

A fine plasterer who might be secured. Good father and family.

Another carpenter, fine football player; will go easy if the right girl comes along.

Two fine farmers, brothers, live a half-mile from Marlinton, fine, long-grass farm, very industrious and thrifty. Good and More of them.

Old bachelor, stone-cutter, well-read and informed.

Printer, very athletic, never a sweetheart in his life.

Another printer, has had four hundred sweethearts.

A Confederate veteran, entered the war very young, polite man, and a good postmaster.

Young man, attends strictly to business, fair musician, going to be a doctor.

An editor, not much to recommend him, but hopes for the best.

If you have any difficulty in identifying any of the above-named gentlemen, call on or address any one familiar with Marlinton.

LISTEN TO HER WAIL OF TROU—
A little corn on a maiden's toe grew, listen to her wail of too, caused by the pinch of a too tight shoe, instead of a four or number two, it grew and grew; listen to the wail of too. As time went on, my wail of too, the corn waxed red and the maiden bled. It was ten times worse than the grip. (Anchovy) V. V. V. too true, listen to my wail of too. She had a seed in the wail of too, a few, listen to the wail of too; a big fat man with a seed in view, tell me No. 10, on her Kangaroo. Oh, where! Oh, where! listen to my wail of too.—Exchange.

When Baby was little, she gave her Children.
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When she became a Girl, she gave her Children.
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